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In re Application of:

Michael L. White

Serial No.: 10/029,398

Filed: December 19, 2001

For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR CONDUCTING LOTTERY-TYPE GAMES

WITH STRATEGY ELEMENTS

Examiner: Unknown

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Attached please find the formal drawings for this application.

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